

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION  
No. 5:15-CR-324-F-1

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

vs.

ARNOLD OGDEN JONES, II,

Defendant.

**ORDER**

Before the court is the Government's motion to seal docket entry 162 (i.e., the Government's response to Defendant's motion for judgment of acquittal) and exhibit 1 thereto pursuant to Local Criminal Rule 55.2(a). [DE 165]. In support, the Government advises that a portion of its response includes citation to grand jury testimony and that exhibit 1 is a copy of said testimony. The Government's request finds support in both Rule 6 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure<sup>1</sup> and Standing Order 85-PLR-1.<sup>2</sup>

Based on the foregoing, the Government's motion to seal [DE 165] is ALLOWED. The Clerk of Court is DIRECTED to seal the document at docket entry 162 and Exhibit 1 thereto.

SO ORDERED.

This the 12th day of January, 2017.



**JAMES C. FOX**  
Senior United States District Judge

<sup>1</sup> Rule 6 provides "unless the court orders otherwise, an attorney for the government will retain control of" grand jury testimony. FED. R. CRIM. P. 6(e)(2)(B)(vi).

<sup>2</sup> See Standing Order Prohibiting Disclosure of Grand Jury Testimony in Criminal Cases, entered March 5, 1985 (85-PLR-1).